

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY (IRELAND).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons,  
dated 15 May 1873;—for,

RETURN "as to FIRST UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION in ARTS for the Session 1868-9,  
in the following Form:—

Subjects for Pass Examination, and Total Number of Marks attainable for each.

Subjects.	Number of Marks attainable.
Greek - - - - -	
Latin - - - - -	
Pure Mathematics - - - - -	
Mathematical Physics - - - - -	
Modern Languages - - - - -	

Subjects for Honours and Total Number of Marks attainable for each.

Subjects.	Number of Marks.
Greek - - - - -	
Latin - - - - -	
Pure Mathematics - - - - -	
Mathematical Physics - - - - -	
Modern Languages - - - - -	
Formal Logic - - - - -	

"List of STUDENTS (giving for each not his Name but his Number) who were Examined, and Result of Examination as regards each Student in each Subject in Numbers, in the following Form, putting opposite each Student's Number in the Column for each Subject for which he was Examined the Number of Marks assigned to him in that Subject by the Examiner, and in the last Column the Total Number of such Marks:

Student's Number.	Pass.					Honours.					Pass.		Honours.		
	Greek—Number of Marks attained.	Latin—Number of Marks attained.	Pure Mathematics—Number of Marks attained.	Mechanical Physics—Number of Marks attained.	Modern Languages—Number of Marks attained.	Greek—Number of Marks attained.	Latin—Number of Marks attained.	Pure Mathematics—Number of Marks attained.	Mechanical Physics—Number of Marks attained.	Modern Languages—Number of Marks attained.	Formal Logic—Number of Marks attained.	Total Number of Marks attained.	Total Marks attainable.	Total Number of Marks attained.	Total Marks attainable.

These Students who Passed, and those who obtained Honours, to be distinguished.

"And, COPY of the Notice of the RESULTS of this EXAMINATION which was sent to each of the Three QUEEN'S COLLEGES, and published there."

(Mr. O'Reilly.)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed,  
7 July 1873.

RETURN relating to the FIRST UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION in ARTS of the QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY in Fredericton, for the Session 1868-69. The Examination was held in October 1868.

— I. —

"**SUBJECTS FOR PASS EXAMINATION, and Total Number of Marks attainable for each."**

Subjects.	Number of Marks attainable.
Greek - - - - -	
Latin - - - - -	
Pure Mathematics - - - - -	- None.
Mathematical Physics - - - - -	
Modern Languages - - - - -	

*Explanation.—The examiners made their award in the following series of judgments, and there was no occasion to translate these judgments into numbers in the case of the Pass candidate, inasmuch as numbers were only of use where it was necessary to determine what positions in the Division List were to be assigned to the candidates for Honour.*

**SCALES OF JUDGMENTS used in this and other EXAMINATIONS of the  
QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.**

**HONOUR JUDGMENTS.**

I. Scale of Judgments made use of in the case of those Candidates who selected the Honour Paper in any subject.

Options - - - - - The highest judgment, and one which First Class + 5. should be awarded only for very Second Class + 4. rare merit.  
First Class + 3.  
First Class + 2.

First Class - - - By the judgment "First Class" is Second Class + 5. to be understood that the credit awarded to the candidate for his Second Class + 4. answering in the subjects in which he has passed him, is so good as to entitle him to a place in the First Class, if the other circumstances under which he can obtain this Honour be fulfilled. It is probable that no candidate will be put in the First Class who does not obtain this or a higher judgment from some one Board of his Examiners at least. A similar meaning attaches in the judgments "Second Class" and "Third Class."

Pass - - -  
May pass if - - -  
Rejected unless - - -  
Rejected - - -  
Prisoned - - -

} For explanation of these judgments, see the Pass Judgments.

**PASS JUDGMENTS.**

II. Scale of Judgments used in the case of those Candidates who selected the Pass Paper in any subject.

Valid - - - - -	By which is to be understood very
Third Class + 3.	nearly good.
Third Class + 2.	
Third Class + 1.	
Third Class	
Pass + 3.	
Pass + 2.	
Pass + 1.	
Pass - - -	By "Pass" is to be understood that the answering of the candidate is such as to entitle him to pass, if he have satisfied to the same extent his Examiners in the other subjects.
May Pass if	The judgment implies that the Board is not satisfied with the candidate's performance, but that the deficiency is slight enough to warrant his being allowed to pass, if the answering in other subjects bring the average of his judgments up to the Pass level.
Rejected unless	Means that the answering of the candidate is bad, and that unless it be better in every one of the other subjects, or if the average of his judgments do not reach the Pass level, he ought not to pass.
Rejected - - -	Means that the answering of the candidate is bad, and that the Board is unable to recommend that he be allowed to pass, however well he may have done in other subjects.
Prisoned - - -	Means that the candidate has exhibited no glossing over of knowledge of the subject in which the Board has examined him. This judgment should be used very sparingly.

## — II. —

" Subjects for Honours, and Total Number of Marks attainable for each."

Subjects.	Number of Marks attainable.
Greek	From — 12 to + 23.
Latin	From — 13 to + 23.
Pure Mathematics	From — 12 to + 23.
Mathematical Physics	From — 12 to + 23.
Modern Languages	From — 13 to + 16.
Formal Logic	From — 10 to + 16.

*Explanation.*—The examiners in the first place awarded a judgment to each candidate in every subject, the judgments made use of being those of the above-mentioned scales. Whenever, upon a review of these judgments, it did not at once appear that the candidate had no claim of honour, his judgments in the several subjects were converted into numbers, in order that they might be summed, and the position of the candidate in the division thus determined. This conversion was effected by the following series of equivalents:—

NUMBERS into which the JUDGMENTS of HONOUR CANDIDATES were Converted.

1 <sup>st</sup> . In Greek, Latin, Pure Mathematics, and Mathematical Physics.		2 <sup>nd</sup> . In Modern Languages, and Formal Logic.	
Judgment.	Number used as Equivalent.	Judgment.	Number used as Equivalent.
Optime	= + 23.	Optime	= + 16.
First Class	+ 5 = + 21.	First Class	+ 3 = + 15.
"	+ 2 = + 19.	"	+ 2 = + 14.
"	+ 1 = + 17.	"	+ 1 = + 13.
First Class	= + 15.	First Class	= + 12.
Second Class	+ 3 = + 13.	Second Class	+ 3 = + 11.
"	+ 2 = + 11.	"	+ 2 = + 10.
"	+ 1 = + 10.	"	+ 1 = + 9.
Second Class	= + 9.	Second Class, or Valido	= + 8.
Valido	= + 8.	Valido	+ 7.
Third Class	+ 3 = + 7.	Third Class	+ 3 = + 7.
"	+ 2 = + 6.	"	+ 2 = + 6.
"	+ 1 = + 5.	"	+ 1 = + 5.
Third Class	= + 4.	Third Class	= + 4.
Pass	+ 3 = + 3.	Pass	+ 3 = + 3.
	+ 2 = + 2.		+ 2 = + 2.
	+ 1 = + 1.		+ 1 = + 1.
Pass	= 0.	Pass	= 0.
May Pass if	= — 2.	May Pass if	= — 2.
Rejected unless	= — 4.	Rejected unless	= — 4.
Rejected	= — 5.	Rejected	= — 5.
Penins	= — 10.	Penins	= — 10.

## — III. —

"LIST of STUDENTS (giving for each not his Name but his Number) who were Examined, and Result of Examination, as regards each Student in each Subject in Numbers, in the following Form, putting opposite each Student's Number in the Column for each Subject in which he was examined the Number of Marks assigned to him in that Subject by the Examiner, and in the last Column the Total Number of his Marks."

## First Honour Class, in Order of Merit.

STUDENT'S NUMBER.	P A S S.					H O N O U R S.					P A S S.	HONOURS.
	Greek—Number of Marks attained.	Latin—Number of Marks attained.	Pure Mathematics—Number of Marks attained.	Mathematical Physics—Number of Marks attained.	Modern Languages—Number of Marks attained.	Greek—Number of Marks attained.	Latin—Number of Marks attained.	Pure Mathematics—Number of Marks attained.	Mathematical Physics—Number of Marks attained.	Modern Languages—Number of Marks attained.		
Candidate No. 28 -	-	-	+ 8	+ 6	-	+ 15	+ 22	-	-	+ 16	+ 9	-
Candidate No. 7 -	-	-	+ 12	+ 3	-	+ 21	+ 15	-	-	+ 20	+ 15	-
Candidate No. 11 -	-	-	+ 7	+ 3	-	+ 17	+ 17	-	-	+ 1	+ 19	-
Candidate No. 18 -	-	-	+ 6	+ 3	-	+ 10	+ 14	-	-	0	+ 15	-
Candidate No. 47 -	+ 1	+ 1	+ 10	+ 8	-	+ 11	+ 15	+ 13	+ 23	+ 1	+ 18	-
Candidate No. 25 -	-	-	+ 10	+ 3	-	+ 17	+ 20	-	-	0	+ 7	-
Candidate No. 24 -	-	-	+ 10	+ 3	-	-	-	+ 15	+ 23	- 1	+ 1	-
Candidate No. 26 -	+ 12	0	-	-	-	-	-	0	+ 17	+ 31	+ 1	-
Candidate No. 19 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## Second Honour Class, in Order of Merit.

Candidate No. 15 -	+ 5	-	-	-	-	-	+ 10	+ 7	+ 10	+ 1	+ 0	-
Candidate No. 35 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 5	+ 3	+ 7	+ 0	+ 2	-
Candidate No. 51 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 11	+ 15	-	-	0	-
Candidate No. 1 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	+ 1	+ 6	+ 13	+ 10	-

## Third Honour Class, in Order of Merit.

Candidate No. 60 -	+ 4	-	+ 7	0	-	+ 1	+ 1	-	-	+ 10	+ 15	-
Candidate No. 98 -	-	-	0	+ 5	-	+ 1	+ 1	-	-	+ 1	+ 7	-
Candidate No. 59 -	-	-	+ 3	+ 4	-	+ 1	+ 2	-	-	+ 0	+ 4	-
Candidate No. 26 -	-	-	+ 7	+ 1	-	+ 1	+ 2	-	-	+ 4	+ 1	-
Candidate No. 8 -	+ 1	+ 4	+ 4	+ 4	-	-	-	-	-	+ 2	+ 2	-

## Other Candidates who passed, in Alphabetical Order.

Candidate No. 4 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 5 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 18 -	-	0	+ 8	+ 4	-	-	+ 9	+ 1	-	+ 12	+ 8	-
Candidate No. 85 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 1	+ 7	-
Candidate No. 20 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 0	+ 1	-	+ 0	+ 4	-
Candidate No. 23 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 4	+ 1	-
Candidate No. 34 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 27 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 55 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 50 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 90 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 49 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 40 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 48 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Candidate No. 49 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Representation.—The numbers of this Table are the numerical equivalents of the judgments first recorded, and were obtained by the Table on page 3. Thus, the name of candidate No. 26, who stands first on the list, was obtained as follows:

Subject.	Judgment (see Table on p. 3).	Number used as equivalent (see Table on p. 3).
Greek - - -	First class - - -	+ 15
Latin - - -	Options - - -	+ 23
Pure Mathematics - - -	Valid - - -	+ 8
Mathematical Physics - - -	Third class + \$ - -	+ 6
Modern Languages - - -	Options - - -	+ 16
Formal Logic - - -	Second class + 1 - -	+ 9

Making a total score of + 71, for which the candidate was awarded a "First Class."

And

And the score of candidate No. 8, who stands lowest on the Honor list, was obtained as follows:

Subject.	Judgment.	Number used as an equivalent.
Greek - - - - -	Pass + 1 - - - - -	+ 1
Latin - - - - -	Third class - - - - -	+ 4
Pure Mathematics - - - - -	Third class - - - - -	+ 4
Mathematical Physics - - - - -	Third class - - - - -	+ 4
Modern Languages - - - - -	Pass + 2 - - - - -	+ 2

making a total score of + 16, for which he was awarded a "Third Class."

Candidate No. 50, the candidate who obtained first prize on this occasion as a score of 77 out of a possible maximum of 124, is returned by the Civil Service Commissioners at page 408 of their Fifteenth Report as having subsequently obtained first place in the open competition of 1870 for the Indian Civil Service. At the final examination for this service he is returned at page 768 of the Seventeenth Report as having again obtained first place, and on page 765 it is seen that his score was five out of the eleven money prizes then awarded amongst all the candidates.

Others also of the candidates examined on this occasion in the Queen's University have since distinguished themselves in public competitions.

Twenty-eight other candidates, whose names do not appear in the list, presented themselves at this examination, of whom nine withdrew voluntarily during the examination, two lost their examinations by violation of the rules, and 17 were sent back by the examiners.

The papers which were set here have been published in the "Queen's University Calendar" for 1869,

#### — IV. —

" COPY of the NOTICE of the Results of this EXAMINATION which was sent to each of the THREE QUEEN'S COLLEGES, and published there."

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY IN IRELAND.—December 1868.

The following Candidates have Passed the First University Examination in Arts:—

#### I.—WITH HONOURS.

First Class, in Order of Merit.

Score, Maximum being 124.	Number in Examination.	—————	First Exhibitions.
77	50	Edward Stack, of Q. C., Belfast	First Belfast Exhibition, and the Exhibition in Classics.
63	7	Michael Drummond, of Q. C., Galway	First Galway Exhibition.
58	11	Michael Finnegan, of Q. C., Cork	First Cork Exhibition.
55	18	William Edward Henry, of Q. C., Galway	Second Galway Exhibition.
51	47	Ross Scott, of Q. C., Belfast	Second Belfast Exhibition.
49	53	R. B. S. Wilson, of Q. C., Galway	Third Belfast Exhibition.
47	54	James Wilkin, of Q. C., Belfast	Third Belfast Exhibition.
46	56	Matthew Wylie, of Q. C., Belfast	Second Cork Exhibition, and the Exhibitions in Mathematical Sciences.
42	19	Thomas Horns, of Q. C., Cork	Second Cork Exhibition, and the Exhibitions in Mathematical Sciences.

Second Class, in Order of Merit.

Score.	Number in Examination.	—————
37	10	John Thomas Halliday, of Q. C., Belfast
36	35	William Gardner Matthews, of Q. C., Galway
35	53	Samuel Edgar Strange, of Q. C., Belfast
28	3	Richard J. Anderson, of Q. C., Belfast

## I.—WITH HONOURS—continued.

## Third Class, in Order of Merit.

Score.	Number in Examination.	
41	40	Samuel B. G. McKinney,* of Q. C., Galway.
20	28	James Magill, of Q. C., Cork.
19	89	George Humphrey, of Q. C., Cork.
14	38	William Muir, of Q. C., Belfast.
13	8	Thomas Dwyer, of Q. C., Belfast.

\* Mr. McKinney's score would have entitled him to a place in the first or second class, if he had taken two Honour papers at the Examination.

## II.—WITHOUT HONOURS.

Other Candidates who have Passed, arranged Alphabetically.†]

Number in Examination.	
4	George Stuart Campbell, of Q. C., Belfast.
6	John Chestnut, of Q. C., Cork.
13	Ralph Francis Glover, of Q. C., Galway.
88	Henry Charles Hoyle, of Q. C., Cork.
91	Robert W. Jevons, of Q. C., Galway.
93	James Kennedy, of Q. C., Belfast.
94	Charles J. Leggate, of Q. C., Belfast.
97	Thomas Lyle, of Q. C., Belfast.
33	Robert J. McDowell, of Q. C., Belfast.
36	James Megarry, of Q. C., Belfast.
39	James Mulligan, of Q. C., Belfast.
42	John M. Parkes, of Q. C., Cork.
46	Thomas Rogers, of Q. C., Belfast.
48	Robert T. Simpson, of Q. C., Belfast.
49	William Smyley, of Q. C., Belfast.

All which I certify.

Queen's University, Dublin Castle,  
27 June 1878.

G. Johnstone Stoney, M.A., F.R.S.,  
Secretary to the University.

† No record has been preserved of the two last placed within brackets, but they were in existence as here given.—G. J. S.



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